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SUBJECT: SALINITY: EXTENSION OF MINUTE 241

REF: MEXICO 2192

1. IN COURSE OF APRIL 11 CONVERSATION WITH LUIS CABRERA OF FOREIGN SECRETARIAT, EMBOFF ONCE AGAIN RAISED QUESTION OF MECHANICS OF FURTHER EXTENSION OF MINUTE 241 (REFTEL).

2. CABRERA REITERATED HIS BELIEF THAT THERE WOULD BE NO DIFFICULTY IN FOLLOWING SAME PROCEDURE USED IN DECEMBER (I. E. UNPUBLICIZED EXCHANGE OF NOTES BETWEEN AMBASSADOR AND FOREIGN MINISTER). QUESTION OF DURATION OF NEW EXTENSION MUST, ACCORDING TO CABRERA, BE DECIDED AT LEVEL OF PRESIDENT ECHEVERRIA. HE NOTED THAT BOTH IN MINUTE ITSELF AND EXTENSION THERETO, QUANTITIES OF SUBSTITUTION WATERS HAVE BEEN STATED. CABRERA REALIZES THAT ANNUAL SUBSTITUTION QUANTITIES FORESEEN IN MINUTE 241 AND IN PERTINENT NEGOTIATIONS WILL HAVE BEEN LARGELY EXPENDED BY TIME PRESENT EXTENSION EXPIRES ON APRIL 30. HE STATED THAT GOM WOULD PREFER SIMPLE STATEMENT OF EXTENSION WITHOUT REFERENCE TO SUBSTITUTION QUANTITIES, BUT NOTED THAT THIS MIGHT NOT BE AGREEABLE TO US SECTION OF IBWC.

3. CABRERA SUGGESTED AN EARLY MEETING WITH EMBOFFS
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TO REVIEW DRAFT DOCUMENTS FOR FURTHER EXTENSION. EMBASSY
REQUESTS IBWC GUIDANCE ON THAT PART OF TEXT DEALING WITH
SUBSTITUTION. WE PROPOSE TO REPEAT NOTE OF DECEMBER
WITH EXCEPTION OF CHANGES IN DATES AND SUBSTITUTION
FIGURES.
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